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Sir:

By this paper, applicants request an oral hearing in the appeal of the above-identified application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$280 to our Deposit Account. Should any additional fees be required for this submission, please charge same to DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 22-0261 and advise our office accordingly.

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